



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

Marlow, et al.

Serial No. 09/773,580

Filed: February 2, 2001

PAPER ELIMINATION IN THE PRODUCTION OF BATTERY PLATES

Our File: T8465812US2

Examiner: Boyer Dolinger Ashley

October 16, 2003

Sir:

REQUEST FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

An extension of one month is requested in which to respond to the Advisory Action dated September 4, 2003, thereby extending the due date from October 1, 2003 to November 1, 2003.

Please charge the extension fee of \$110.00 and any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 07-1750. A duplicate copy of this letter is attached for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,
Marlow, et al.

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